DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION A SENATE RESOLUTION urging the Indiana economic development corporation and the aeronautics section of the Indiana department of transportation to hold a statewide summit to discuss the status of aviation in Indiana. FORD ______, read first time and referred to Committee on



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SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION urging the Indiana economic development corporation and the aeronautics section of the Indiana department of transportation to hold a statewide summit to discuss the status of aviation in Indiana.

Whereas, The development of the Gary/Chicago International Airport meant increased economic opportunity and tax revenues for northwestern Indiana;

Whereas, Further development in the field of aviation could provide much needed economic revitalization, business expansion, and job creation for Indiana;

Whereas, Some options that a summit should consider are the development of air passenger and air freight service improvements and a long range implementation plan;

Whereas, The implementation plan should include options for legislative and executive action; and

Whereas, The aviation industry provides Indiana communities with services and contributes to their economic and social development: Therefore,

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Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- SECTION 1. That this resolution urges the Indiana economic 2 development corporation and the aeronautics section of the Indiana
- 3 department of transportation to hold a statewide summit to discuss the 4 status of aviation in Indiana.
- 5 SECTION 2. That the statewide summit be used to develop
- 6 recommendations for transportation economic development policy,
- 7 alternative modes of transportation, and use of new transportation 8 technologies;
- 9 SECTION 3. That the results of the statewide summit be used to 10 determine whether the aviation industry in Indiana needs to be
- 11 responsible to answer that Indiana makes the best possible use of its
- 11 reexamined to ensure that Indiana makes the best possible use of its
- 12 resources to stimulate economic growth in Indiana.
- SECTION 4. That the Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
- 14 transmit a copy of this Resolution to the commissioner of the Indiana
- 15 department of transportation and to the chairperson of the board of the
- 16 Indiana economic development corporation.



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